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1 2 3 4 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 5 FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 6 7 8 No. C 09-03123 SBA (PR) MELEICO M. CARDONA, 9 **ORDER OF TRANSFER** Plaintiff, 10 11 JAMES WALKER, et al., 12 Defendants. 13 Plaintiff, a state prisoner, has filed a pro se civil rights action pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983. 14 The acts complained of occurred at California State Prison - Sacramento, which is located in the 15 16 Eastern District of California, and it appears that the Defendants reside in that district. Venue, therefore, properly lies in that district and not in this one. See 28 U.S.C. § 1391(b). 17 18 Accordingly, in the interest of justice and pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1406(a), this action is 19 TRANSFERRED to the United States District Court for the Eastern District of California. The 20 Clerk of the Court shall transfer the case forthwith. 21 IT IS SO ORDERED. DATED: <u>7/15/09</u> 22 United States District Judge 23

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2	FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
3	MELEICO M. CARDONA,
4	Case Number: CV09-03123 SBA Plaintiff,
5	CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE v.
6	WALKER et al,
7	Defendant.
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9	I, the undersigned, hereby certify that I am an employee in the Office of the Clerk, U.S. District
10	Court, Northern District of California.
11	That on July 16, 2009, I SERVED a true and correct copy(ies) of the attached, by placing said copy(ies) in a postage paid envelope addressed to the person(s) hereinafter listed, by depositing said
12	nvelope in the U.S. Mail, or by placing said copy(ies) into an inter-office delivery receptacle ocated in the Clerk's office.
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14	Meleico M. Cardona C-49665
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16	Represa, CA 95671
17	Dated: July 16, 2009 Richard W. Wieking, Clerk
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